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IMAGE-WRITING DEVICE AND METHOD AND IMAGE-FORMING
APPARATUS REDUCING DOT WIDTH VARIATIONS IN RELATION TO A
SCREEN ANGLE**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312**

This Amendment is being submitted to correct a typographical error in claim 13.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listings of the claims which
begins on page 2 of this paper.

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